



# Instruction Booklet



**SUPER NINTENDO**  
ENTERTAINMENT SYSTEM

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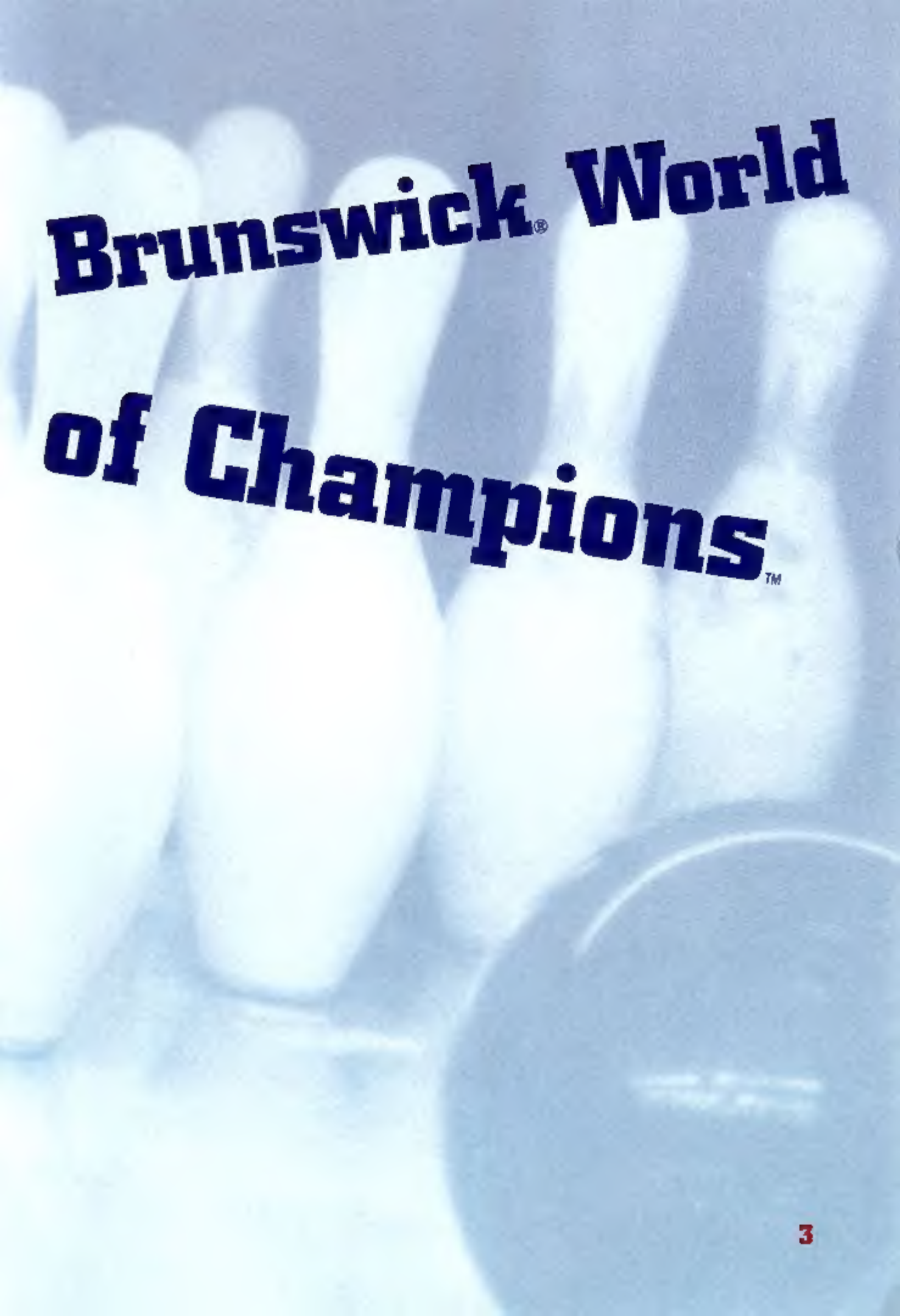
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# **Welcome to Tournament**

**The most realistic bowling simulation  
available for your Super NES!**

**Choose from six different tournaments  
and compete against 11 of your favorite  
Brunswick pro bowlers in some high  
stakes tournament play, or kick back  
for an old-fashioned good time with  
a few friends. Either way, it's never  
been so easy to enjoy the sport that  
everybody loves.**



# **Brunswick® World of Champions™**

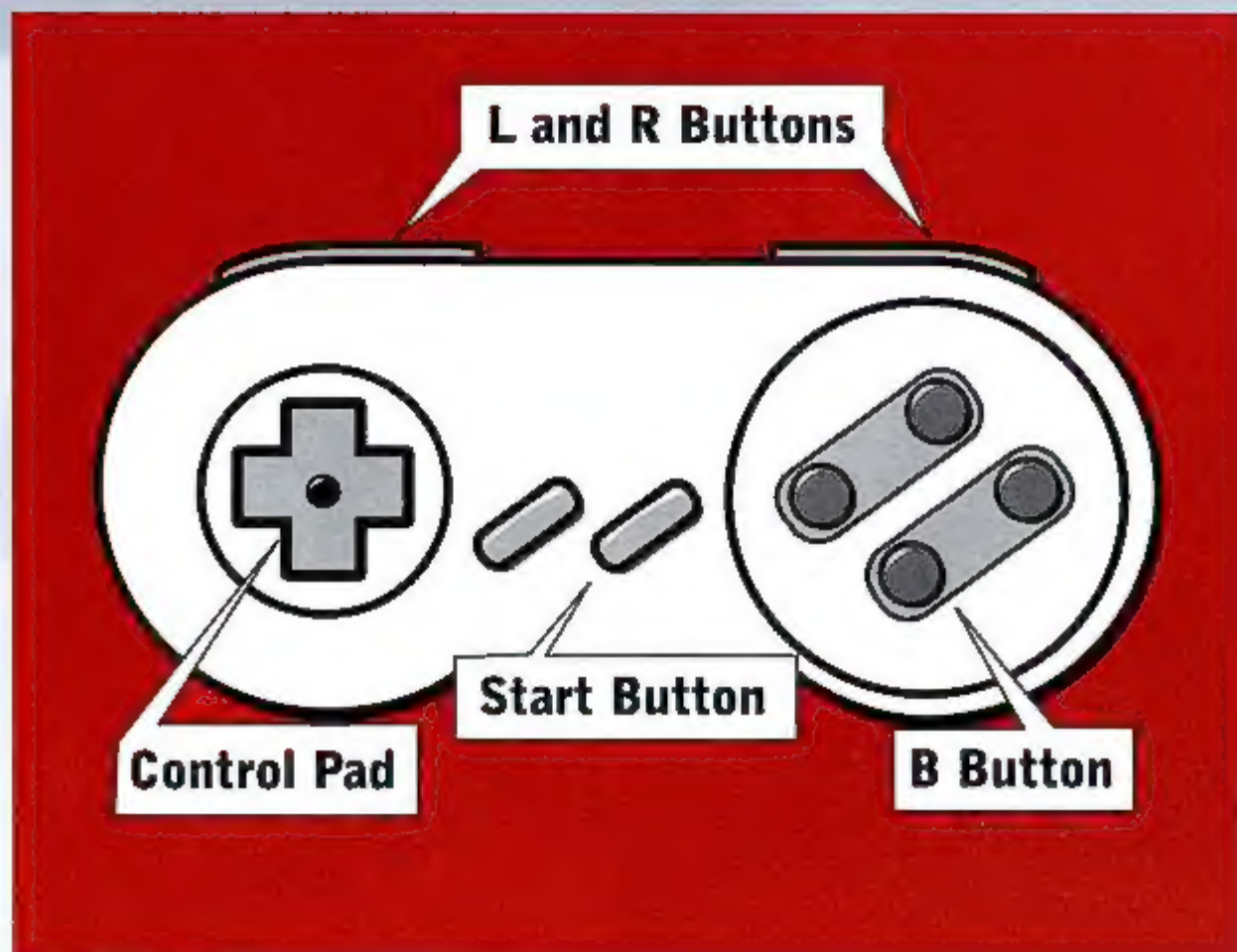
## Getting Started

Turn off the power switch on your Super Nintendo Entertainment System. Never insert or remove a Game Pak when the power is on.

**1.** Make sure a Controller is plugged into controller socket 1 on the Super NES. If you are playing against a friend, plug the other controller into controller socket 2.

**2.** Insert the **Brunswick World Tournament of Champions™ Game Pak** into the slot on the Super NES. Press firmly to lock the pak in place.

**3.** Turn ON the power switch. The game credits will appear (if you don't see them, begin again at step 1).



## Controls

**Control Pad:** Moves the cursor/scrolls through items in menus; Adjusts the bowler's position prior to delivery

**B Button:** Selects an item or toggles through choices in menus; Starts and stops the power and spin meters when bowling

**L and R Buttons:** Move the aiming arrow left and right across the lane

**Start Button:** Exits the scoreboard screen; Enters/exits the options menu during gameplay

**Y Button, X Button, A Button, Select Button:**  
Not Used



# THE MAIN MENU



The first screen to appear is the main menu screen. From here you'll be able to set the characteristics of your bowler, play a quick game, play a league game, enter a tournament, and set the game options. To return to the main menu at any time, place the cursor over **Main** and press the **B** button.

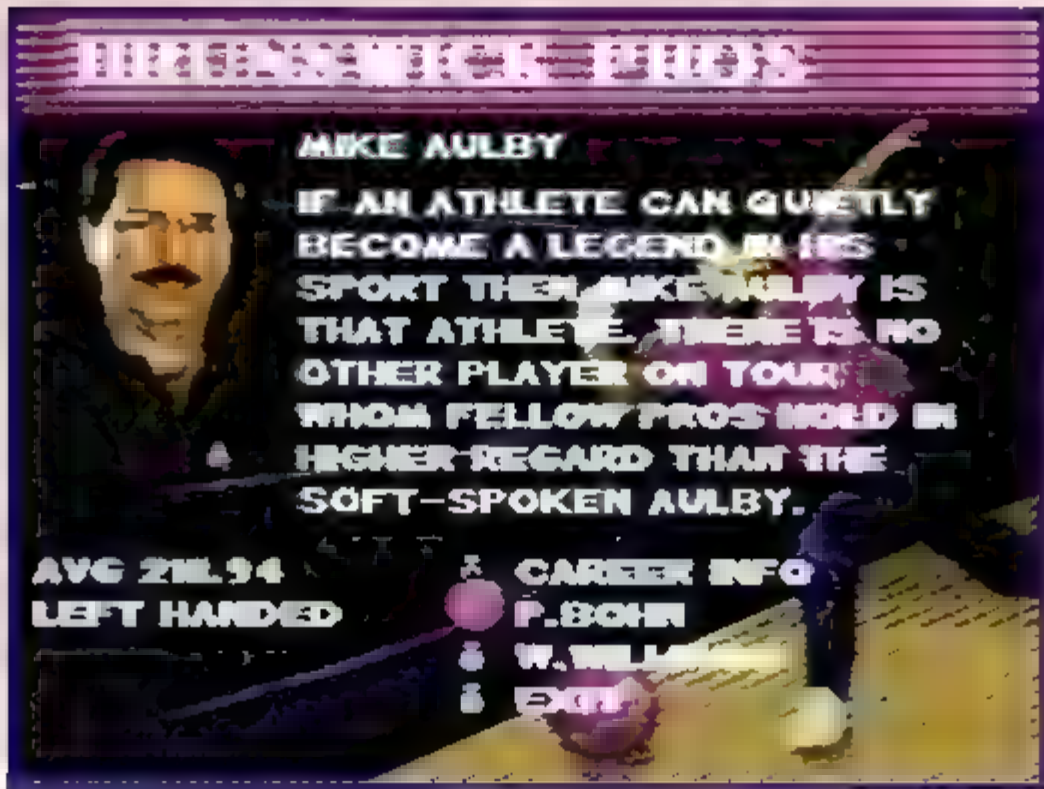
# Player Setup

In order to customize your bowler, or to take a look at the competition, place the cursor over **Player Setup** and press the **B** button.



The first thing you're going to want to do is set yourself up, so choose **Player Setup** from the menu. Now you can enter your name, choose your clothes, set which hand you will bowl with, decide whether to automatically or manually switch to your spare ball and determine your main and spare ball choices.

If you are unfamiliar with the different types of bowling balls and their characteristics, scroll through all your choices and read the description and chart on each ball. Determining which ball is best for you, and for differing conditions, will take time. Your ball choice is an important decision, so don't be hasty.



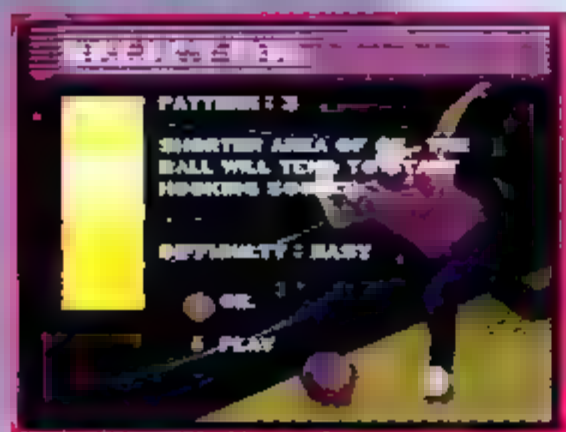
Use the **B** button to toggle through choices in each category. Continue to set up the total amount of human players that will be participating, then choose **Okay** to return to the Bowler Setup Menu.

Now that you're going to be bowling against them, you'll probably want to find out more about your favorite Brunswick pros. Choose **Brunswick Pros** to view detailed biographical and career information on all 11 bowling greats, but don't let yourself be intimidated!

You can check out the rest of the competition by choosing **Bowler Roster**.

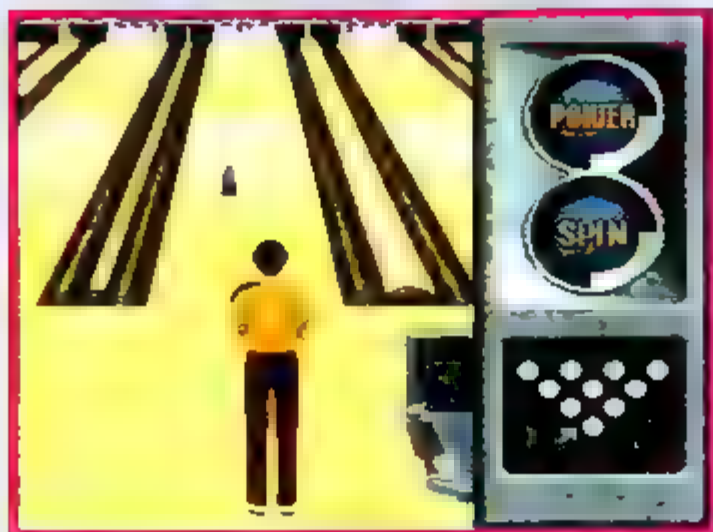
## Practice (Quick Game)

Choose **Quick Game** from the Main Menu Screen for a practice game, so that you can get used to the controls before entering pressure-laden league or tournament play. In the **Select Players** screen, add players to the list of bowlers by pressing on the **B** button. Then place the cursor over **Play** and press the **B** button again. Here in **Practice** mode, you will be asked to select one of



seven oil patterns before bowling. For now, choose an easy one, but later you can hone your skills to more difficult lane conditions! Obviously, lane conditions are not selectable in League or Tournament play.

Just like the real thing, bowling with Brunswick World Tournament of Champions™ is not hard...But bowling well is! Remember, the skill lies in learning to control the ball, not remembering exactly where to aim it.





First, use the **Control Pad Left/Right** to position your bowler to the desired delivery point. Next, use the **L** and **R** buttons to move the aiming arrow across the lane until it is pointing to where you would like your

bowler to be aiming. Keep in mind that the sight points to where your ball will go if it does not curve. You will need to compensate for heavily curving balls. Finally, press the **B** button to start the power meter, and press it again when you would like it to stop. Now do the same for the spin meter.

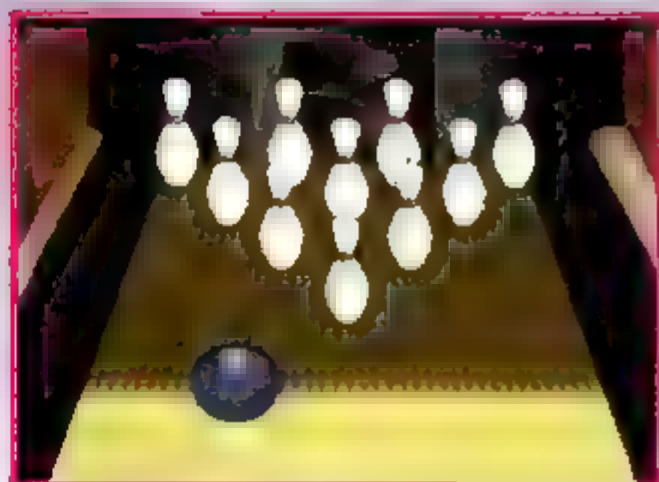
You may find the power and spin meters difficult to control at first, but it will come with practice. Your goal, as you probably know, is to find the right combination of all of these parameters, so that your Brunswick bowling ball strikes



the pins at the desired point of impact. If you are not sure of where this point might be, refer to the pin diagram below the power and spin meters. The blue arrow points to where your point of impact should be.

## Hint

Basic bowling technique dictates that to get a clean strike, the ball needs to hit the 'pocket' between the 1 and 3 pins if you're right handed, or the 1 and 2 pins if you're left handed. The chances of a strike are greatly



enhanced if the ball hits at a sharp angle, rather than straight down the lane. To do this, the ball must be aimed away from the headpin, and made to curve in towards it as it goes down the lane. Keep in mind, the amount of curve on the ball depends on several factors including spin imparted by the bowler, speed of the ball, weighting of the ball, the ball material and the condition of the lane. Finding the perfect combination of all of these factors is the elusive challenge that makes bowling so fun!

After each frame, the Brunswick scoring sheet will appear, displaying your score. Press the **Start** or **B** button to exit the scoring sheet and continue bowling.

You may change your ball, view an action replay of your last shot or quit your game at any time via the in-game options menu. To access this menu, simply press the **Start** button. **Note: Practice** mode is the only place where you will be able to change your ball choice in the middle of a game. In other modes you will only be able to switch between your pre-selected main and spare balls.

# League

Now that you think you've got your technique down, you might be ready for some friendly, competitive league bowling.

Choose **Singles League** to match up individually against a pool of 4, 6 or 8 bowlers made up of any combination of Brunswick pros, computer bowlers and friends. (up to 4 human players)

Choose **Teams League** to create and compete in a pool of 4, 6, or 8 teams.



In both cases, you'll need to set the number of games in the match to 1, 2 or 3. Additionally, you'll have to decide whether to compete by aggregate scores (the sum of an individual bowler's scores over the set amount of games, or the sum of a team of bowlers' scores over the set amount of games), or best scores (a bowler, or team of bowlers' best score is matched against the other bowler or team's best score over the set amount of games). Both scoring methods will make for tons of competitive fun!



## Tournament

If you've enjoyed the taste of competition, and you think your skills are sufficiently honed, it might be time to try your luck in a professional tournament.

The six tournaments you have to choose from are the Combat Zone Classic, The Quantum Open, The Las Vegas Invitational, The Johnny Petraglia Open, The Bayer Brunswick Touring Players Championship and, of course, the Brunswick World Tournament of Champions.

**Note:** you must win one of the other tournaments before you will receive an invitation to compete in the coveted Brunswick World Tournament of Champions.™

Before selecting the tournament you would like to enter, you must decide whether you want to compete in the long tournament format, or the short tournament format:

# Long Tournaments

In the long format, there will be an initial squad of 64 bowlers- 1 human player and a random selection of Brunswick pro and other professional bowlers.

## Qualifying

Each player in the initial squad must now play 18 qualifying games (this number will vary slightly between tournaments), divided into three 6-game blocks. Scores are based on a par of 200. If a player rolls a 212, he or she will score a 12. If a player rolls a 189, he or she will score -11. The scores are totalled for all 18 games, and the top 24 players will proceed to the next round.

## Match Play

Each of the remaining bowlers will now play every other bowler in head-to-head competition (23 matches). Scores are carried forward from the previous round, and carry on in the same manner, except that 30 bonus pins are scored for winning a match. If the game is tied, 15 bonus pins will go to each of the two bowlers.

The final, or 24th game of match play is a position round where the 1st-placed bowler plays against the 2nd-placed, the 3rd against the 4th, the 5th against the 6th, etc. The top five bowlers at the end of the match play round proceed to the finals.

## Finals:

The finals are a stepladder format where the 5th-placed bowler plays the 4th-placed bowler in the first game. The winner of that then plays the 3rd-placed bowler. That winner then faces the 2nd-placed bowler in the semi-final. The survivor then plays the leading qualifier in the final. Each match is a single head-to-head game, with a two-frame roll-off to be held in the event of a tie.

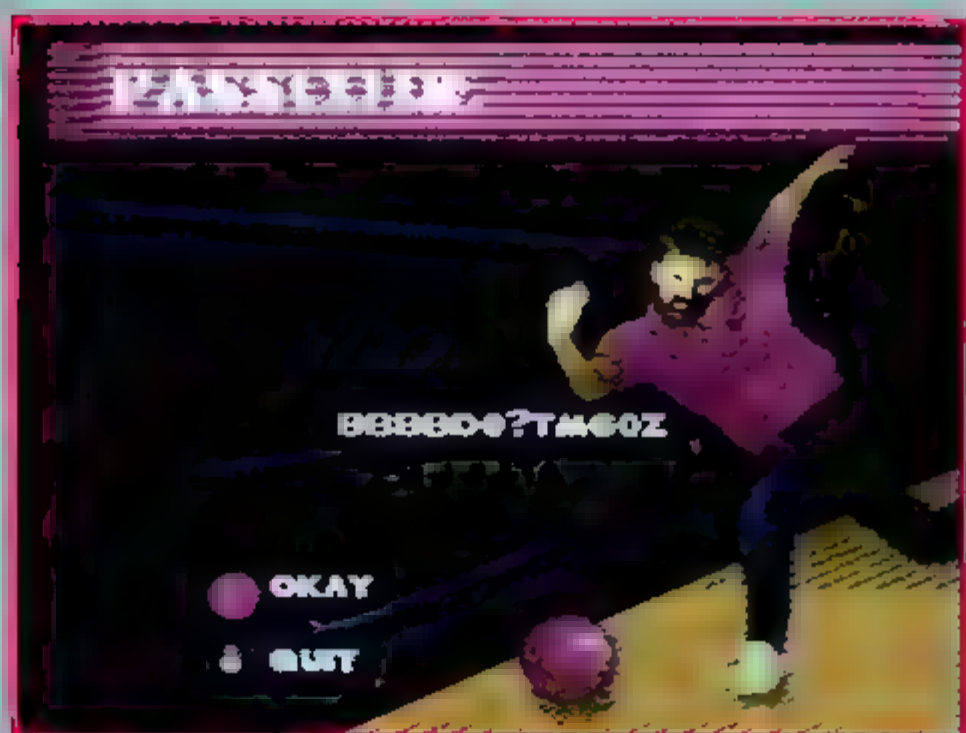


## Short Tournaments

If the full tournament format is simply too long for a busy individual such as yourself, choose **Short Tournaments** for a less time-consuming setup.

In the **Short Tournament** format, the initial pool consists of 32 players, who will play just 6 qualifying games each. The top eight qualifiers will carry on to the match play round. The match play will follow the same format as the Long Tournament, but each player will have only 7 other bowlers to compete against. The eighth match will be a position round, and the top four bowlers will proceed to the final round. The final round, being the shortest and most intense of them all, will only be reduced by one match in the Short Tournament format, bringing the total number of games for a complete Short Tournament to a manageable 17.





## Passwords

Since even Short Tournaments can take more time than you might have in one sitting, an easy password system exists for your convenience. After each game has been completed within a tournament, a password will be displayed. Write it down so that you can begin at that stage whenever you like. To do so, simply choose **Restore** from the **Select Tournament** menu and enter your password.

## Options

Finally, from the main menu, you can set the options for game play. The options are Sound Effects On/Off, In Game Music On/Off, Front End Music On/Off and Dynamic or Static Meters. If you choose Static Meters, you will be able to set the spin meter manually rather than having to time pressing the **B** button to stop it. Needless to say, this makes things a bit easier and is a good option if you are finding the dynamic meters too difficult at first.



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